

# Health Care Compliance and Regulations, BS

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Details matter when it comes to health care. Patients need experts who can ensure safe and ethical care at every step. In the nation's first accredited health care compliance and regulations undergraduate program, you'll learn to identify, assess, mitigate, and monitor compliance and regulatory risks across a spectrum of health care settings and organizations.

## Program description


The BS in health care compliance and regulations is an undergraduate degree program dedicated to the training of compliance professionals. It is the first undergraduate degree program to be accredited by the Compliance Certification Board®. <https://www.corporatecompliance.org/certification>

Students are offered the opportunity to learn best practices from a broad array of industry experts (providers, regulatory agencies, government payers and others) within the health care industry, giving graduates options to pursue various careers in health care compliance.

This program is ideal for anyone interested in the ethical, regulatory and business sides of the health care industry. Program highlights include:

- data privacy and security
- industry standards for accreditation and auditing
- monitoring and auditing
- revenue cycles, including current billing and coding procedures
- risk assessment
- seven elements of an effective compliance program
- state and federal compliance laws and regulations

## At a glance

- **College/School:** [Edson College of Nursing and Health Innovation](#)
- **Location:** [Downtown Phoenix](#) or [Online](#), [ASU Local](#)
- **Second language requirement:** No
- **First required math course:** MAT 117 - College Algebra  
or any math course that meets the MATH designation
- **Math intensity:** Moderate 

## Required courses (Major Map)

[2024 - 2025 Major Map \(on-campus\)](#)

[2024 - 2025 Major Map \(online\)](#)

[Major Map \(Archives\)](#)

## Concurrent program options

Students pursuing concurrent degrees (also known as a "double major") earn two distinct degrees and receive two diplomas. Working with their academic advisors, students can create their own concurrent degree combination. Some combinations are not possible due to high levels of overlap in curriculum.

## Admission requirements

### General university admission requirements:

All students are required to meet general university admission requirements.

[First-year](#) | [Transfer](#) | [International](#) | [Readmission](#)

## Tuition information

When it comes to paying for higher education, everyone's situation is different. Students can learn about [ASU tuition and financial aid](#) options to find out which will work best for them.

## Change of Major Requirements

A current ASU student has no additional requirements for changing majors.

Students should visit the [Change of Major form](#) for information about how to change a major to this program.

## Attend online

## ASU Online

ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may [view the program's ASU Online page](#) for program descriptions and to request more information.

## ASU Local

It is now possible to earn an ASU degree with [ASU Local](#), an integrated college experience in which students take advantage of in-person success coaching and programming experiences on site while completing one of 130+ undergraduate online degree programs, all of which come with online faculty interaction and tutoring support.

## Transfer options

ASU is committed to helping students thrive by offering tools that allow personalization of the transfer path to ASU. Students may use [MyPath2ASU®](#) to outline a list of recommended courses to take prior to transfer.

ASU has [transfer partnerships](#) in Arizona and across the country to create a simplified transfer experience for students. These pathway programs include exclusive benefits, tools and resources, and they help students save time and money in their college journey.

## Global opportunities

### Global experience

Students gain valuable experience when studying abroad, experience that will enhance their resumes. With more than 300 [Global Education programs](#) available to them, students can tailor their experience to their unique interests and skill sets. Students majoring in health care compliance and regulation can learn about other global health care systems and how they are regulated.

Graduates who possess the heightened cultural competency, leadership and critical thinking skills they acquired when studying abroad may stand out in a competitive field.

## Career opportunities

Graduates may be employed as:

- compliance analysts or specialists
- compliance leads or trainers for health care operations (revenue, clinical care, research, education)
- health care regulatory affairs analysts or specialists
- HIPAA privacy compliance analysts or specialists

- internal auditors, claims auditors or audit response leads
- Medicare and Medicaid compliance analysts or specialists
- special investigation unit analysts or specialists
- patient safety survey specialists
- regulatory compliance specialists

Example job titles and salaries listed below are not necessarily entry level, and students should take into consideration how years of experience and geographical location may affect pay scales. Some jobs also may require advanced degrees, certifications or state-specific licensure.

Career	*Growth	*Median salary
<b><u>Accountant/Auditor</u></b> ☀	4.4%	\$78,000
<b><u>Compliance Manager</u></b>	3.3%	\$128,620
<b><u>Fraud Investigator</u></b> ☀	6.1%	\$73,810
<b><u>Health and Safety Manager</u></b> ☀	13.3%	\$78,570
<b><u>Health and Safety Technician</u></b> ☀	10.1%	\$57,970
<b><u>Medical and Health Services Manager</u></b> ☀	28.4%	\$104,830
<b><u>Regulatory Affairs Manager</u></b>	3.3%	\$128,620
<b><u>Risk Manager</u></b> ☀	8.2%	\$102,120

\* Data obtained from the Occupational Information Network (O\*NET) under sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration (USDOL/ETA).

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## Professional licensure

ASU programs that may lead to professional licensure or certification are intended to prepare students for potential licensure or certification in Arizona. Completion of an ASU program may not meet educational requirements for licensure or certification in another state. For more information, students should visit the [ASU professional licensure](#) webpage.

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